

**COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES – DEPARTMENT OF MENTAL HEALTH
JUVENILE JUSTICE MENTAL HEALTH PROGRAMS
CENTRAL JUVENILE HALL MENTAL HEALTH UNIT
VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT**

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CLINICAL PSYCHOLOGIST I/II

The Central Juvenile Hall Mental Health Unit is looking for a skilled, motivated, team oriented individual to join our dynamic multidisciplinary team. Central Juvenile Hall is the largest of Los Angeles County's juvenile detention facilities and houses all of the specialized units including units designed to address the needs of significantly mentally ill adolescents. It is a fast paced, high volume program with opportunities for vast clinical experience due to the specialized population that we serve.

DESIRABLE QUALIFICATIONS:

- Knowledge and experience delivering clinical services and evidence-based treatment models to children, youth, and families, particularly juvenile justice youth;
- Ability to establish collaborative working relationships with program partners (i.e. Los Angeles County Probation, Los Angeles County Office of Education, Juvenile Court Health Services and community agency partners).
- Excellent organizational, interpersonal, oral, and written communication skills;
- Ability to function both independently as well as with a multidisciplinary team;
- Proficiency in use of databases such as Microsoft Word, Excel, Access and Outlook;
- Bilingual Spanish language proficiency;
- Excellent attendance, reliable, flexible, and the ability to work well with high demands.

EXAMPLES OF ESSENTIAL JOB DUTIES:

- Provide culturally-competent direct services, including assessment, individual, family and group therapy, crisis intervention, and case consultation with Probation Unit staff;
- Assess client's level of functioning, suicide risk and readiness for participation in treatment;
- Participate in interagency multidisciplinary treatment team meetings, quality assurance, quality improvement, and case review activities;
- Collaborate, consult, and partner with Probation, LACOE, JCHS and community partner agencies;
- Participate in ongoing training and supervision required by DMH;
- Provide accurate and time sensitive documentation according to Department of Justice, State and Department guidelines.

Interested individuals, who currently hold the title of Clinical Psychologist I or II are interested, please email or fax a detailed resume, last two (2) Performance Evaluations, and last two (2) years of master time records by **February 28, 2015** to:

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